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1. YOUR SUGGESTED CHANGES IN REFTEL A HAVE BEEN APPROVED SO THAT THE EMBASSY MAY PROVIDE THE GOE WITH THE FOLLOWING ASSURANCE:

MY GOVERNMENT IS GRATIFIED AT THE TWO PARTIES SUCCESSFULLY CONCLUDING A MUTUALLY SATISFACTORY AGREEMENT, AND IS CONCONFIDENTIAL

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FIDENT THAT THEY WILL CARRY IT OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS TERMS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH YOUR REQUEST, MY GOVERNMENT IS PLEASED TO GIVE THE ASSURANCE THAT, AFTER THE GOVERNMENT OF ECUADOR AND THE ECUADOREAN GULF OIL COMPANY SIGN THE TRANSFER AGREEMENT REACHED ON JANUARY 3, 1977, THE GOVERNMENT OF THE

UNITED STATES WILL EXERCISE, IF NECESSARY, THE MORAL SUASION AVAILABLE TO IT TO THE END THAT THE ECUADOREAN GULF OIL COMPANY WILL RESPOND TO AND RESOLVE THE COMPANY'S OUTSTANDING OBLIGATIONS RELATING TO THE ORDERLY TRANSFER OF THE COMPANY'S ASSETS TO THE ECUADOREAN STATE PETROLEUM CORPORATION.

2. FYI: GULF FINDS THE ABOVE ACCEPTABLE.	WE HAVE PRO-
VIDED GULF WITH A COPY.	

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